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DECK LOG–TITLE PAGE
NAVPERS 3100/1 (1-66) (Formerly NAVPERS 716)

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DECK
LOG BOOK

OF THE

U.S.S. ABILITY

MSO 519
IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

Attached to { MIN DIV 85 Division,
MIN RON 8 Squadron,
Flotilla,
SECOND Fleet,
SIXTH Naval District,

Commencing 0001 +4Q 1 JULY, 1968,
(zone time and date)

at U.S. NAVAL STATION CHARLESTON. SC,
(location)

and ending 2400 +4 Q 31 JULY, 1968,
(zone time and date)

at SEA, ENROUTE TO ROTA, SPAIN
(location)

Approved by: J. Lancaster. Commanding
J. LANCASTER, LT. USN

TO BE FORWARDED DIRECT TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-102.

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE MONDAY (Day) 1 (Date) JULY (Month) 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ CHARLESTON, S.C. ~~TO~~

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REMARKS

00-08 RESTING ON KEEL BLOCKS IN DRYDOCK NUMBER TWO DETYENS SHIPYARD CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE DOCK & THE SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMMANDANT. 0740 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE

V. F. Hands

V. F. HANDS, LT(jg), USN

EXAMINED

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD. JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS AGILITY (MSO-439) DATE MONDAY 1 JULY (Day) (Date) (Month) 19 68

REMARKS-CONTINUED

0A-24 DRYDOCKED AS BEFORE. 1730 HELD FIRE DRILL. 1740 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL.

B.R. Moffitt
B.R. MOFFITT, ENSIGN, U.S.N.

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS AGILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4 DATE TUESDAY 2 JULY . 19 68
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REMARKS

00-08 RESTING ON KEEL BLOCKS IN DRYDOCK NUMBER TWO DETYENS SHIPYARD CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE DOCK. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINELANT. 0740 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, ENSIGN, U.S.N.

EXAMINED

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-574) DATE TUESDAY 2 JULY 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24. DRYDOCKED AS BEFORE. 1201 SET SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 1209 INSPECTION COMPLETED OF ALL HULL OPENINGS. 1211 FLOODING COMMENCED IN DRYDOCK. 1220 ALL SERVICES DISCONNECTED FROM THE SHIP. 1250 INSPECTION COMPLETED OF ALL SPACES FOR WATERTIGHT INTEGRITY. 1255 SHIP CLEAR OF KEEL BLOCKS. 1305 COMMENCED MOVING SHIP CLEAR OF DOCK. 1307 STERN PASSED OUTER END OF SILL. 1311. MOORED PORT SIDE TO PIER CHARLIE AT DETYENS SHIPYARD, CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES TRIPPLED AND WIRES OUT FORE AND AFT.

W. H. Sands
W. H. SANDS, LT(JG), USNR

EXAMINED: LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS Ability (MSO 519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE Wednesday 3 Nov 65 19 65
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REMARKS

00-08 MOORED PORT SIDE TO PIER CHARLIE AT DETYENS SHIPYARD CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINCHANT. 0140 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

V. H. Vands
V. H. VANDS, FC(S), USNR

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0900 COMMENCED PREPARATIONS TO HOLD DOCK TRIALS AT DETYENS SHIPYARD FOLLOWING INTERIM DOCKING PERIOD. SOUNDED SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 0904 SECURED FROM SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 1000 SET THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 1002 CAPTAIN IS ON THE BRIDGE. 1012 ALL STATIONS REPORT MANNED AND READY. 1046 COMMENCED HOLDING DOCK TRIALS. 1135 CAPTAIN LEFT THE BRIDGE.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, ENSIGN, U.S.N.

EXAMINED

W. F. Elwood Jr. LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE WEDNESDAY 3 JUL. 19 64
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1210 SECURED FROM HOLDING DOCK TRIALS. SECURED FROM SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 1245 SOUNDED SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 1251 SECURED FROM SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 1314 COMMENCED PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY. 1325 STATIONED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 1327 COMPLETED ALL PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY. DRAFT: FORWARD 10 FEET 9 INCHES. AFT. 11 FEET. CAPTAIN AT THE CONN NAVIGATOR ON THE BRIDGE. 1335 UNDERWAY FOR CHARLESTON NAVAL BASE IN COMPLIANCE WITH COMINELANT WEEKLY OPERATIONS SCHEDULE. 1337 MANEUVERING TO CLEAR THE PIER. 1341 PILOT, MR. STANFORD HAS THE CONN. 1400 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS STANDING OUT THE WANDO RIVER. 1502 NAVY TUG (YTM-358) CAME ALONGSIDE THE PORT QUARTER. 1503 MANEUVERING TO GO ALONGSIDE THE PIER. 1508 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO PIER TANGO, BERTH 2 ALPHA AT CHARLESTON NAVAL BASE, CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND WIRES EXTENDED FORE AND AFT. 1519 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 1529 PILOT LEFT THE SHIP. 1539 NAVY TUG (YTM-358) UNDERWAY FROM OUR PORT QUARTER. 1540 CAPTAIN LEFT THE SHIP.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, ENSIGN USN.

16-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1819 HELD FIRE DRILL. 1827 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, ENSIGN, USN.

EXAMINED: W F Elwood LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4 DATE THURSDAY (Day) 4 (Date) JULY (Month) 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ CHARLESTON, SOUTH ~~TO~~ CAROLINA

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REMARKS

00-08 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO PIER TANGO BERTH 2 ALPHA AT CHARLESTON NAVAL BASE CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND WIRES EXTENDED FORE AND AFT. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINE LANT. 0740 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION ABSENTEES: NONE.

B.R. Moffett

B.R. MOFFETT, ENSIGN, USN.

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USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE THURSDAY 4 JULY 1968
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08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

J. H. Jones
J. H. JONES, LT USNR

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0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO 519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE FRIDAY (Day) 5 (Date) JULY (Month) 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM CHARLESTON, S.C. ~~TO~~

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REMARKS

00-08 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO PIER TANGO, BERTH 2A. AT CHARLESTON NAVAL BASE CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA, WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED, AND WIRES EXTENDED FORE AND AFT. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINELANT. 0740 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

V. L. Lands
V. L. LANDS, LT(jg), USNR

EXAMINED

W. F. Elwood LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE FRIDAY 5 JULY 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS—CONTINUED

0A-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0A IS COMMENCED ZONE INSPECTION BY DEPARTMENT HEADS. 0930 SECURED FROM ZONE INSPECTION.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, ENSIGN, U.S.N.

EXAMINED:

J. F. Elwood Jr. LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
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USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4 DATE SATURDAY (Day) 6 (Date) JULY (Month). 19 66

AT ~~PASSAGE FROM~~ CHARLESTON, SOUTH ~~TO~~ CAROLINA

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REMARKS

00-08 MOORED STARBORD SIDE TO PIER TANGO BERTH 2 ALPHA AT CHARLESTON NAVAL BASE, CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND WIRES EXTENDED FORE AND AFT. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINELANT. 0740 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, ENSIGN, U.S.N.

EXAMINED

W. E. Elwood LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABILITY (MSO 519) DATE SATURDAY 6 JULY 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

J. H. Jones
J.H. JONES, LT(JG), USNR

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0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE SUNDAY 7 July 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM CHARLESTON, S.C. TO

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REMARKS

ØØ-Ø8 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO PIER TANGO BERTH TWO ALPHA AT CHARLESTON NAVAL BASE, CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND WIRES EXTENDED FORE AND AFT, RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINELANT. Ø74Ø MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE.

V. H. Vands
V. H. VANDS, IC(S), USN

EXAMINED

LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

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USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE SUNDAY 7 JULY 19 64
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

QP-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1715 HELD FIRE DRILL.
1722 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, ENSIGN, U.S.N.

EXAMINED: W F Elwood LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD. JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE MONDAY 8 JULY 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM CHARLESTON, SOUTH ~~TO~~ CAROLINA

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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
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REMARKS

00-08 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO PIER TANGO, BERTH 2 ALPHA AT CHARLESTON NAVAL BASE CHARLESTON SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND WIRES EXTENDED FORE AND AFT. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMNAVLANT. 0740 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, ENSIGN, U.S.N.

EXAMINED W. F. Elwood Jr
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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USS Ability (USS-979) DATE Monday 8 July 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 Moored as before. 0850 Commenced fueling from pier Tango. 10:30 Commenced loading ammunition. 1125 Completed loading ammunition, having received from Mike Boat various small arms ammunition, 40 mm, pyrotechnics, TNT blocks and hand grenades. 1259. Completed fueling, having received 18,720 gallons of Diesel Fuel. 1407 Tug along side our port side. 1408 Set special sea detail. 1435 Underway dead plant to shift berths. 1451 Moored pier Sierra, berth 1A starboard side to. 1500 Tug cast off our port side. 1503 Secured from special sea detail. 1630 Held fire drill. 1640 Secured from fire drill. 1645 Held fire drill. 1659 Secured from fire drill.

W. F. Woods
W. F. Woods, Jr. (Lt), USNR

EXAMINED: [signature] LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. Elwood, Jr. Lt. USN

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USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE TUESDAY (Day) 9 (Date) JULY (Month) 19 68

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REMARKS

ØØ-Ø8 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO PIER SIERRA, BERTH 1 ALPHA AT CHARLESTON NAVAL BASE, CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AND WIRES EXTENDED FORE AND AFT. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINELANT. Ø74Ø MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

V. F. Sands
V. F. SANDS, LTJG, USNR

EXAMINED

W. F. Elwood, Jr. LT

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE TUESDAY 9 JULY 1968
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

V. H. SANDS, LT(jg), USNR

EXAMINED: LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
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0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4 9 DATE WEDNESDAY 10 July 19 68
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REMARKS

ΦΦ - Φ8 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO PIER SIERRA, BERTH 1A AT THE U.S. NAVAL STATION CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES TRIPLED. RECIEVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IS IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET AND DISTRICT YARD CRAFT. SOPA IS COMINELANT. Φ635 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE. Φ645 STATIONED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. Φ655 DRAFT FORWARD 11', AFT 12'6". CAPTAIN AND NAVIGATOR ARE ON THE BRIDGE. Φ711 RECEIVED TUG YTM-6 ALONG PORT BOW. Φ72Φ PILOT STANFORD IS ON THE BRIDGE, CIVILIAN DEGUASING TECHNICIANS EMBARKED. Φ724 UNDERWAY IN ORDER TO RUN THE CHARLESTON DEGUAGING RANGE. CAPTAIN HAS THE CONN, COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE STANDING OUT OF CHARLESTON HARBOR. Φ75Φ GOD GIVEN THE CONN. CAST OF TUG. PILOT DEPARTED THE SHIP

C.D. Herscher,
C.D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

Φ8 - 12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Φ818 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE TRANSITTING DEGAUSING RANGE. BASE COURSE IS 178°/358°.

C.D. Herscher,
C.D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

EXAMINED

W. F. Elwood LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE WEDNESDAY 10 JULY 1968
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1202 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEED WHILE RUNNING DEGAUSSING RANGE. 1459 SET SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 1520 U.S. NAVY TUG NO. 8 CAME ALONG SIDE ~~OU~~ STARBOARD QUARTER. PILOT LOCKWOOD Com. CAME ABOARD AND TOOK THE CONN. 1537 MANEUVERING TO GO ALONGSIDE THE PIER. 1545 MOORED PORT SIDE TO PIER SIERRA BERTH 1-ALFA AT U.S. NAVAL BASE, CHARLESTON SOUTH CAROLINA. STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. 1547 PILOT LEFT THE SHIP. 1550 SECURE FROM SPECIAL SEA DETAIL.

W. H. Hands
W. H. HANDS, LT(jg), USNR

16-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

W. H. Hands
W. H. HANDS, LT(jg), USNR

EXAMINED: W F Elwood JR LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD. JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE THURSDAY (Day) 11 (Date) JULY (Month). 19 68

AT ~~/PASSAGE FROM~~ CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA ~~TO~~

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
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REMARKS

ØØ-Ø8 MOORED PORT SIDE TO PIER SIERRA, BERTH 1-ALFA AT U.S. NAVAL BASE, CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA, WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINELANT. Ø715 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE. 0730 √SET SPECIAL SEA DETAIL

√J. H. KNUDS
√J. H. √ANDS, [illegible]+(9), USNR

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0910 UNDERWAY FOR DEGAUSING RANGE. 0910 √STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE RUNNING THE DEGAUSING RANGE. 0910 √SECURED SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. SET ANCHOR DETAIL.

√J. H. √KNUDS
√J. H. √ANDS, [illegible]+(9), USNR

EXAMINED [signature]

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE THURSDAY 11 JULY 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1246 COMMENCED SOUTH RUN AT THE DEGAUSSING RANGE. 1255 COMMENCED NORTH RUN. 1301 CAPTAIN LEFT THE BRIDGE. 1302 CAPTAIN ON THE BRIDGE. 1344 COMMENCED SOUTH RUN AT THE DEGAUSSING RANGE. 1518 COMMENCED NORTH RUN. 1519 CAPTAIN TOOK THE CONN. 1526 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS CONFORMING TO CHARLESTON HARBOR CHANNEL. 1550 U.S. NAVY TUG (YTM-293) CAME ALONGSIDE THE STARBOARD QUARTER. 1553 PILOT DELAMAR CAME
B.R.M. ABOARD AND TOOK THE CONN. ~~1558~~ 1554 MANEUVERING TO GO ALONGSIDE THE PIER

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LTJG., USN

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1600 MOORED PORT SIDE TO PIER SIERRA, BERTH 1 ALPHA AT U.S. NAVAL BASE CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. 1612 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 1613 PILOT DELAMAR LEFT THE SHIP. 1811 HELD FIRE DRILL. 1819 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LTJG., USN

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LTJG., USN

EXAMINED: W F Elwood Jr
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION T4Q DATE FRIDAY 12 JULY (Day) (Date) (Month), 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM CHARLESTON, SOUTH ~~TO~~ CAROLINA

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3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

CDH

ϕϕ-ϕ8 MOORED PORT SIDE TO PIER SIERRA, BERTH 1A WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED AT THE US NAVAL STATION, CHARLESTON SOUTH CAROLINA. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IS IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET AND DISTRICT YARD CRAFT. SOPA IS COMINELANT. ϕ715 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE. ϕ73ϕ STATIONED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. ϕ739 DRAFT FORWARD 10'6", AFT 11'6" ϕ745 CAPTAIN AND NAVIGATOR ARE ON THE BRIDGE, ϕ746 PILOT LUPTON IS ON THE BRIDGE. RECEIVED TUG ALONG STARBOARD SIDE. ϕ8ϕϕ UNDERWAY IN ORDER TO RUN THE DEGAUSING RANGE. COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE STANDING OUT OF CHARLESTON HARBOR.

C. D. Herscher,
C. D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

W. H. Sands
W. H. SANDS, ENS(S), USNR

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U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE FRIDAY 12 JULY 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1206 COMMENCED SOUTH RUN AT THE DEGAUSSING RANGE. 1209 COMMENCED NORTH RUN. 1220 COMPLETED RUNNING THE DEGAUSSING RANGE, CAPTAIN HAS THE CONN. ~~1249~~ 1222 B.R.M. ~~1250~~ COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS TO CONFORM TO THE CHARLESTON HARBOR CHANNEL. 1249 U.S. NAVY TUGS NO. 29 AND 4 CAME ALONGSIDE PORT QUARTER AND BOW RESPECTIVELY. PILOT STANFORD CAME ABOARD AND TOOK THE CONN. 1254 MANEUVERING TO GO ALONGSIDE THE PIER. 1307 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO PIER SIERRA, BERTH 1 ALPHA AT U.S. NAVAL BASE CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES TRIPLED. 1311 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. PILOT STANDARD LEFT THE SHIP.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LTJG. U.S.N.

16-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LTJG, U.S.N.

EXAMINED: [signature] LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4 Q DATE SATURDAY (Day) 13 (Date) JULY (Month). 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM CHARLESTON, SOUTH —TO CAROLINA

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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
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3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO PIER SIERRA BERTH 1 ALPHA AT U.S. NAVAL BASE CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES TRIPLED. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE US. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMNAVLANT. 0740 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE.

B.R. Moffitt

B.R. MOFFITT, LTJG, U.S.N.

EXAMINED

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

~~USS~~ USS. ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE SATURDAY 13 JULY 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

Ø8-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1845 HELD FIRE DRILL.
1855 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL.

W. J. Masterson
W. J. MASTERSON, ENS USNR

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U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE SUNDAY (Day) 14 (Date) JULY (Month). 19 68

AT ~~PASSAGE FROM~~ CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA TO

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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO PIER SIERRA, BERTH I-ALFA AT U.S. NAVAL BASE, CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES TRIPLED. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINELANT.
0740 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE.

W. J. Masterson
W. J. MASTERSON, EM2 USNR.

EXAMINED

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE SUNDAY 14 JULY 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

W J Masterson

W.J. MASTERSON, ENS USNR.

EXAMINED: W F Elwood

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS Ability (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE Monday 15 July (Day) (Date) (Month) 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ CHARLESTON, S.C. ~~TO~~

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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO PIER SIERRA, BERTH 1 ALFA AT THE U.S. NAVAL BASE, CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINCLANT. 0740 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

J. H. Sands
J. H. SANDS, LT(SG), USNR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR., LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO - 519) DATE MONDAY 15 JULY 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

Ø8 - 24 MOORED AS BEFORE. Ø925 STATIONED SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. Ø929 CAPTAIN AND NAVIGATOR ON BRIDGE. Ø932 RECEIVED 2 TUGS ALONG PORT SIDE. PLOT STANFORD IS ON THE BRIDGE. Ø948 UNDERWAY IN ORDER TO SHIFTS BERTHS. 1ØØ1 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO PIER TANGO BERTH 4 ALFA. 1Ø15 CAST OFF TUGS. SECURE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 1820 HELD FIRE DRILL. 1825 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL.

C. D. Herscher

C. D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

EXAMINED: W. F. Elwood LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS Ability (MSO-558) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE TUESDAY (Day) 16 (Date) July (Month). 1968

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ CHARLESTON, S.C. TO

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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO PIER TANGO. BERTH TWO ALFA. AT U.S. NAVAL BASE CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINEWANT. 0720 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE. 0740 STATIONED THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 0749 CAPTAIN AND NAVIGATOR ARE ON THE BRIDGE. DRAFT FORWARD 10 FT. AFT 11 FT 6 IN. 0758 UNDERWAY IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMINEDIV 85 WEEKLY OP SCHEDULE. CAPTAIN HAS THE CONN. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE STANDING OUT OF CHARLESTON HARBOR.

C.D. Henscher
C.D. HENSCHER, LTJG USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0802 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE STANDING OUT CHARLESTON HARBOR. 0901 SECURED FROM SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 0910 COMMENCED FULL POWER RUN. 1004 SECURED FROM FULL POWER RUN 1005 SET CONDITION I-M. 1015 COMMENCED STEAMING MAGNETIC TAIL. 1109 ALLEGHAR ON DECK 1130 COMMENCED TESTING ACOUSTIC DEVICES.

V.L. Vands
V.L. VANDS, LT(JG), USNR

EXAMINED

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS Ability (MSO-579) DATE TUESDAY 16 July 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

1200-1600 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1230 COMMENCED BRINGING ABOARD THE STARBOARD ACOUSTIC DEVICE. 1240 DEVICE ON BOARD. 1347 ENTERED INLAND WATERS. 1406 COMMENCED PREPARATION TO ENTER PORT. SET THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 1427 CAPTAIN HAS THE CONN. COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS TO CONFORM TO CHARLESTON HARBOR CHANNEL. 1501 U.S. NAVY TUG NO. 4 CAME ALONGSIDE PORT QUARTER. PILOT STANFORD CAME ABOARD AND TOOK THE CONN. 1507 MANEUVERING TO GO ALONGSIDE THE PIER. 1511 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) PIER TANGO, BERTH 2 BRAVO AT THE U.S. NAVAL BASE CHARLESTON SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. 1519 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 1520 PILOT LEFT THE SHIP.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LTJG., U.S.N.

1600-2400. MOORED AS BEFORE. HELD FIRE DRILL, SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL.

W.H. Rhodes
W.H. RHODES, LT(JG), USNR

EXAMINED: W E Lee
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELLISON, JR. Lt. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABLITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +10 DATE WEDNESDAY 17 JULY 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA TO

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3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF TWO SHIPS, STARBOARD SIDE TO USS SALUTE (MSO-470), PIER TANGO, BERTH 2-BRAVO AT U.S. NAVAL BASE, CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA. WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINCLANT.
0740 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE

V. L. Banks
V. L. BANKS, LT(JG), USNR

EXAMINED

W. F. Elwood Jr U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE WEDNESDAY 17 JULY 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

0800-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

B.R. Moffitt
B.R. MOFFITT, LTJG, U.S.N.

EXAMINED: W F Elwood
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4 DATE THURSDAY 14 JULY 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT ~~/PASSAGE FROM~~ CHARLESTON, SOUTH ~~TO~~ CAROLINA

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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
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3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF TWO SHIPS, STARBOARD SIDE TO U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) PIER TANGO BERTH 2 BRAVO AT U.S. NAVAL BASE CHARLESTON SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINELANT. 0740 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT JG., USN.

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO -519) DATE THURSDAY 18 JULY 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1815 HELD FIRE DRILL. 1823 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL.

C. D. Herscher
C. D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

EXAMINED: W. F. Enoch Jr. LT. USN
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE FRIDAY (Day) 19 (Date) JULY (Month). 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA ~~TO~~

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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
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4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø8 MOORED IN A NEST OF TWO SHIPS. STARBOARD SIDE TO U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-47Ø), PIER TANGO. BERTH 2 BRAVO AT U.S. NAVAL BASE CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINELANT. Ø74Ø MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

C.D. Herscher,
C. D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

EXAMINED

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, CWO, USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE FRIDAY 19 JULY 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

0800-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1820 HELD FIRE DRILL.

W. F. Masterson
W. F. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR

EXAMINED:

LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILTY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE SATURDAY (Day) 20 (Date) JULY (Month). 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA

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REMARKS

ΦΦ-Φ8 MOORED IN A NEST OF TWO SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-47Φ) PIER TANGO BERTH 2 BRAVO, AT U.S. NAVAL BASE CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED, RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINERLANT. ΦΦ15 FIRE IN WASTE CAN, CREW'S HEAD. ΦΦ29 FIRE SECURED. DAMAGE: NONE. Φ74Φ MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE.

W. J. Masterson
W. J. MASTERSON, ENS. USNR

EXAMINED W. F. Elwood Jr
U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

W. F. ELWOOD. JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABUTY (MSO-519) DATE SATURDAY 20 JULY 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS—CONTINUED

0800 - 24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1830 HELD FIRE DRILL. 1837 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL.

R.R. Stewart
R. R. STEWART, ENS., USNR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE SUNDAY 21 JULY 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ - Ø8 MOORED IN A NEST OF TWO SHIPS. STARBOARD SIDE TO USS SALUTE (MSO - 47Ø) PIER TANGO BERTH 2 BRAVO. AT U.S. NAVAL BASE CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA. WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINELANT. Ø74Ø MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART ENS., USNR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO - 519) DATE SUNDAY 21 JULY 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

0800 - 24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1830 HELD FIRE DRILL. 1840 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR.

EXAMINED: [signature] LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE MONDAY (Day) 22 (Date) JULY (Month) 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY	
λ _____	BY	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY	
λ _____	BY	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

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Ø74Ø MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE

P.R. Stewart
P.R. STEWART, ENS, USNR

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(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILINE (AUSO-379) DATE MONDAY 22 JULY 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

V. H. VANDS
V. H. VANDS, LT(JG), USNR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-515) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE TUESDAY (Day) 23 (Date) JULY (Month). 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ CHARLESTON, S.C. TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L		BY
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF TWO SHIPS. STARBOARD SIDE TO U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) PIER MANGO BERTH 2 BRAVO. AT U.S. NAVAL BASE CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STMDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMINLANT. 0140 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE

V. H. Hands
V. H. HANDS, Lt (jg), USNR

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W. F. ELWOOD, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE TUESDAY 23 JULY 19 64
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

ØØ-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. ØASS COMMENCED FUELING FROM THE PIER. 1ØSØ FUELING COMPLETED: RECEIVED 2217 GALLONS OF DIESEL OIL, 238 GALLONS OF LUBRICATION OIL. 1235 SOUNDED SEA DETAIL IN PREPARATION TO HOLD DOCK TRIALS. 1251 SECURED
BRM. FROM ~~DOCK TRIA~~ SEA DETAIL. 1455 SOUNDED SEA DETAIL. 1458 SECURED FROM SEA DETAIL. 1745 HELD FIRE DRILL. 1752 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL.

B.R. Moffitt
B.R. MOFFITT, LTJG, U.S.N.

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE WEDNESDAY 24 JULY 19 6A
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ CHARLESTON, SOUTH ~~TO~~ CAROLINA

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY	
λ _____	BY	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY	
λ _____	BY	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY	
λ _____	BY	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED IN A NEST OF TWO SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO U.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) PIER TANGO, BERTH 2 BRAVO. AT U.S. NAVAL BASE, CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES TRIPLED AND WIRES FOR AND AFT. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMSUBFLOT SIX. 0740 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS: ABSENTEES: NONE

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT.J.G., U.S.N.

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(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE WEDNESDAY 24 JULY 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

Ø8-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. Ø83Ø SOUNDED SEA DETAIL IN PREPARATION TO HOLD DOCK TRIALS. Ø84Ø COMMENCED DOCK TRIALS. Ø856 SECURED FROM DOCK TRIALS AND SEA DETAIL. 1745 HELD FIRE DRILL. 1755 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL.

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS., U.S.N.R.

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE THURSDAY (Day) 25 (Date) JULY (Month). 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY	_____
λ _____	BY	_____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY	_____
λ _____	BY	_____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 32° 44.0N	BY	3
λ 79° 50.0W	BY	3

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø8 MOORED IN A NEST OF TWO SHIPS STARBOARD SIDE TO USS SALUTE (MSO-47Ø) PIER TANGO, BERTH 2 BRAVO AT U.S. NAVAL BASE, CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES TRIPLED AND WIRES FORE AND AFT. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIP IN CONDITION WATCH FIVE WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. OTHER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SOPA IS COMSUBFLOT SIX. Ø740 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE

R.R. Stewart
R.R. STEWART, ENS., USNR.

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USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE THURSDAY 25 July 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

Ø8-16 MOORED AS BEFORE.

C.D. Herscher,
CD. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

16-2Ø MOORED AS BEFORE. 18ØØ STATIONED SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 18Ø8 CAPTAIN AND NAVIGATOR ARE ON BRIDGE. DRAFT FORWARD 11 FEET, AFT 11 FEET 2 INCHES. 1847 UNDERWAY IN ACCORDANCE WITH COM SECOND FLEET QUARTERLY OP SCHEDULE. FOR ROTA, SPAIN. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE STANDING OUT OF CHARLESTON HARBOR. CAPTAIN HAS THE CONN. 1927 OOD GIVEN THE CONN.

C.D. Herscher
C.D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

2Ø-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2Ø11 SECURED SPECIAL SEA DETAIL. 2Ø25 TOOK DEPARTURE OF CHARLESTON HARBOR. C/S 12 KTS, C/C 122° PSC. 2Ø3Ø C/C Ø9Ø°T C/S 7 KTS. 2117 COMMENCED STEAMING IN COLUMN, OPEN ORDER FORMATION WITH USS ABILITY (MSO-519) THE GUIDE IN STATION # 1, USS NOTABLE (MSO-46Ø) IS IN STATION # 2, USS SALUTE IS IN STATION # 3, USS RIVAL (MSO 468) IS IN STATION # 4. USS CHEWAUCAN (AOG-5Ø) IS IN STATION #5. OTC IS COMMEDIV 85 EMBARKED THIS VESSEL. 2125 C/S 9.5 KTS.

C.D. Herscher
C.D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

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0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE FRIDAY 26 JULY 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM CHARLESTON, S.C. TO ROTA, SPAIN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 32°46.0N	BY	1
λ 77° 36.5W	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 32° 48.5N	BY	1
λ 76°27.5W	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 32°50.0N	BY	2
λ 74°56.0W	BY	2

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING IN A COLUMN OPEN ORDER FORMATION WITH USS ABILITY (MSO-519) AS GUIDE, U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470 IN STATION TWO, U.S.S. RIVAL (MSO-468) IN STATION THREE, U.S.S. CHEWECAN (AOG-50) IN STATION FOUR, U.S.S. NOTABLE (MSO-460) STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY, ENROUTE FROM CHARLESTON SOUTH CAROLINA TO ROTA, SPAIN IN ACCORDANCE WITH CMD AS OP ORDER 1-69. FORMATION COURSE BRNM. 090°T, SPEED 9.5 KNOTS. SOPA ~~HS~~ COMINEDIV AS EMBARKED THIS SHIP. OTC IS COMINEDIV AS. CONDITION OF READINESS FOUR AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET.

B.R. Moffitt
B.R. MOFFITT, LT(JG), U.S.N.

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

V.H. Hands
V.H. HANDS, LT(JG), USNR

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0900 WENT TO GENERAL QUARTERS FOR DRILL. 0913 DETACHED FROM FORMATION IN ORDER TO CONDUCT INDIVIDUAL SHIPS EXERCISES. C/C TO 270°T. C/S TO 13 KTS. COMMENCED MANEUVERING ON VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS IN ORDER TO TAKE STATION 500 YARDS ASTERN OF U.S.S. CHEWAUCAN (AOG 50). 0928 HELD ABANDON SHIP DRILL. 0938 SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS. 0940 C/C TO 100°T. C/S 13 KTS. COMMENCED MANEUVERING ON VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS IN ORDER TO TAKE STATION 500 YARDS AHEAD OF THE U.S.S. NOTABLE (MSO-460). 1016 JOINED TASK UNIT 27.3.2 FORMATION IN STATION 1 ASSUMED GUIDE. BASE COURSE 090°T BASE SPEED 9.5 KTS.

C.P. Herscher
C.P. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS Ability (MSO-574) DATE FRIDAY 26 JULY 19__
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT(JG), USN

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

V.H. Davis
V.H. DAVIS, Lt(jg), USNR

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

C.D. Herscher
C.D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

EXAMINED:

W F Edmonds LT U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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W. F. EDMONDS, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE ~~SATURDAY~~ 27 July 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA TO ROTA, SPAIN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 33°08.5N	BY	2
λ 73°19.0W	BY	2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 32°50.0N	BY	2
λ 72°39.0W	BY	2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 32°46.0N	BY	2
λ 71°14.0W	BY	2

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING IN A COLUMN OPEN ORDER FORMATION WITH U.S.S. ABILITY (MSO-519) AS GUIDE, U.S.S. NOTABLE (MSO-460) IN STATION TWO, U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) IN STATION THREE, U.S.S. CHEWAUCAN (AO-50) IN STATION FOUR, U.S.S. RIVAL (MSO-464) STEAMING IN DEPENDENTLY ENROUTE FROM CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA TO ROTA, SPAIN IN ACCORDANCE WITH CMD AS OP ORDER 1-69. FORMATION COURSE 090°T, SPEED 8 KNOTS. SOPA #4 IS COMINEDIV AS EMBARKED THIS SHIP. OTC IS COMINEDIV AS. CONDITION OF READINESS FOUR AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET.
BRM. 0003 U.S.S. CHEWAUCAN DETACHED AND PROCEED INDEPENDENTLY. 0205 U.S.S. RIVAL JOINED FORMATION IN STATION FOUR.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LT JG, USN.

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

V.H. Young
V.H. YOUNG, LTJG, USNR

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0819 C/S 11 KTS. C/C 085°T. 0823 STATIONED REPLENISHMENT DETAIL IN ORDER TO REFUEL FROM U.S.S. CHEWAUCAN (AOG-50). COMMENCED MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND VARIOUS SPEED WHILE REFUELING. 0840 CAPTAIN TOOK THE CONN. 0848 REFUELING HOSE ON DECK. 0859 COMMENCED RECEIVING FUEL. 0922 CEASED RECEIVING FUEL HAVING RECEIVED 6,789 GALLONS OF DIESEL FUEL. 0929 REFUELING HOSE CLEAR OF THE SHIP. 0930 C/C 100°T C/S 13 KTS. COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS IN ORDER TO GAIN STATION 2000 YARD AHEAD OF THE GUIDE USS CHEWAUCAN. 0932 SECURED FROM REPLENISHMENT DETAIL. 0958 C/C 090°T C/S 8 KTS. ON STATION. 1023 DETACHED FROM FORMATION IN ORDER TO PERFORM MANUEVERING DRILLS. C/C 060°T C/S 10 KTS. 1037 HELD MAN OVERBOARD DRILL. MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE HOLDING MAN OVERBOARD DRILLS. 1050 SECURED FROM DRILLS. 1140 REJOINED FORMATION IN STATION 4.

C.D. Herscher

EXAMINED S.D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE SATURDAY 27 JULY 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1203 MANEUVERING TO REMAIN ON STATION 2000 YARDS AHEAD OF GUIDE U.S.S. CHEWAUCAN (AO-50), WHICH SHOULD BEAR 270°T. 1252 EXECUTED FORMATION ONE, U.S.S. ABILITY (MSO-519) IS GUIDE, FORMATION COURSE 090°T, SPEED 4 KNOTS. U.S.S. NOTABLE (MSO-460) IN STATION TWO, U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) IN STATION THREE, U.S.S. RIVAL (MSO-466) IN STATION FOUR, U.S.S. CHEWAUCAN (AO-50) IN STATION FIVE. 1301 FORMATION SPEED 7 KNOTS. 1316 EXECUTED FORMATION ECHO WITH BRM, IDENTICAL SHIP SEQUENCE NUMBERS. ~~B~~ FORMATION SPEED 9.5 KNOTS.

B.R. Moffitt
B.R. MOFFITT, LTJG, U.S.N.

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

W.H. Woods
W.H. WOODS, YFC(S), USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1916 C/S 8 KTS.

C.D. Herscher,
C.D. HERSCHER, LTJG

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

B.R. Moffitt
B.R. MOFFITT, LT JG, U.S.N.

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE SUNDAY (Day) 28 (Date) JULY (Month) 19 68

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA TO ROTA SPAIN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 32°50.0'N	BY	1
λ 69°34.0'W	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 32°42.0'N	BY	1
λ 68°44.0'W	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 32°38.3'N	BY	1
λ 67°33.0'W	BY	1

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø4 STEAMING IN A COLUMN OPEN ORDER FORMATION WITH U.S.S. ABILITY (MSO-519) AS GUIDE, U.S.S. NOTABLE (MSO-469) IN STATION TWO, U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) IN STATION THREE, U.S.S RIVAL (MSO-468) IN STATION FOUR, U.S.S. CHEWAUCHAN (AO-54) IN STATION FIVE. ENROUTE FROM CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA TO ROTA, SPAIN IN ACCORDANCE WITH CMD 85 OP ORDER 1-69. FORMATION COURSE Ø9Ø°T SPEED 8 KNOTS. SOPA IS COMINEDIV 85 EMBARKED THIS SHIP. OTC IS COMINEDIV 85. CONDITION OF READINESS FOUR AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. Ø15Ø COMMENCED BATHYTHERMOGRAPH DROP Ø212 COMPLETED BATHYTHERMOGRAPH DROP.

W.H. Sands
W.H. SANDS, YC(SS), USNR

Ø4-Ø8 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Ø8ØØ MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE.

C.D. Kemsley
C.D. HEMSCHER, LTJG USN

ØA-1Ø UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Ø921 BASE SPEED 15 KNOTS. 1101 DETACHED FROM FORMATION ECHO HAULING OUT TO STARBOARD CLEAR OF THE FORMATION TO EFFECT REPAIRS ON LUBE OIL LEAK TO STARBOARD REDUCTION GEAR. 1110 SECURED STARBOARD MAIN ENGINE TO INITIATE REPAIRS.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LTJG, U.S.N.

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) DATE SUNDAY 28 JULY 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS—CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1406 LIT OFF NUMBER 1 MAIN ENGINE FOR TEST 1408 SET 265 RPM BOTH SHAFTS 1412 ASSUMED LIFEGUARD STATION 1000 YARDS BEHIND USS RIVAL (MSO-468) AND USS. CHENAUGAN (AO-54). 1421 C/C 245°; C/S 8 KNOTS. 1528 CEASED LIFEGUARD STATION. 1529 C/C 075°, C/S 11.5 KNOTS 1531 STEAMING IN A COLUMN FORMATION WITH U.S.S. ABILITY (MSO-519) IN STATION 1 AND THE GUIDE, U.S.S. RIVAL IN STATION 4., U.S.S CHENAUGAN IN STATION 5. STANDARD DISTANCE 500 YARDS. 1542 C/S 12 KNOTS C/C 081°

W. F. Woods
W. F. WOODS, JR. LT(jg), USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1725 C/C 090° T. 1745 C/S 8 KTS. 1812 C/S 9 KTS. 1819 C/S 10 KTS.

C. P. Hersche
C. P. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2112 BASE COURSE 085° T 2345 U.S.S. CHENAUGAN (AO-54) DETACHED FROM FORMATION AND PROCEEDING INDEPENDENTLY.

B.R. Moffitt
B.R. MOFFITT, LT JG, U.S.N.

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W. F. WOODS, JR. LT. USN

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

0105-904-1020

USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +4Q DATE MONDAY (Day) 29 (Date) JULY (Month). 19 68

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM CHARLESTON SOUTH CAROLINA ~~TO~~ ROTA, SPAIN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 32° 50.0N	BY	1
λ 64° 57.0W	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 32° 52.6N	BY	1
λ 64° 28.9W	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 32° 58.0N	BY	1
λ 62° 43.0W	BY	1

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø4 STEAMING IN COLUMN OPEN ORDER FORMATION WITH U.S.S. ABILITY (MSO-519) AS GUIDE. U.S.S NOTABLE (MSO-469) IN STATION TWO, U.S.S. RIVAL (MSO-468) IN STATION THREE, U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-47Ø) STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY, U.S.S. CHEWAUGAN (AO-54) STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY ENROUTE FROM CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA TO ROTA, SPAIN IN ACCORDANCE WITH CMD 85 OP ORDER 1-69. FORMATION COURSE Ø85°T SPEED 10.5 KNOTS. SOPA IS COMINEDIV 85 EMBARKED THIS VESSEL. OTC IS COMINEDIV 85 CONDITION OF READINESS FOUR WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET.

V. H. Vands
V. H. VANDS, FC1, USNR

Ø4-Ø8 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Ø716 C/C Ø7Ø°T. Ø721 SECURED STARBOARD MAIN ENGINE IN ORDER TO INVESTIGATE HYDRAULIC LEAK IN PITCH SYSTEM. Ø747 C/C Ø87°T. Ø8ØØ MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE.

C. D. Henscher
C. D. HENSCHER, LTJG USN

Ø8-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Ø85Ø COMMENCED PREPARATIONS TO TAKE ON FUEL FROM U.S.S. CHEWAUGAN (AO-54) 1Ø15 SOUNDED REPLENISHMENT DETAIL. 1Ø34 ASSUMED LIFE GUARD DUTY FOR BR/M U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-47Ø) 1Ø51 COMMENCED ~~APP~~ APPROACH TO U.S.S. CHEWAUGAN. 11Ø1 RECEIVING FUEL. 1119 CEASED RECEIVING FUEL FROM U.S.S. CHEWAUGAN, RECEIVED 3Ø5Ø GALLONS OF DIESEL FUEL. 1129 SECURED THE REPLENISHMENT DETAIL.

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REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1319 U.S.S. ABILITY (MSO-519) ASSUMED GUIDE IN STATION ONE FORM DELTA WITH U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) IN STATION THREE, U.S.S. NOTABLE (MSO-460) IN STATION TWO, U.S.S. RIVAL (MSO-468) IN STATION FOUR, U.S.S. CHEWAUGAN (AO-50) IN STATION FIVE, U.S.S. RESERVE (ARS-43) IN STATION SIX. 1401 GUIDE SHIFTS TO U.S.S. SALUTE. 1406 COMMENCING LIGHT LINE WITH U.S.S. NOTABLE. 1507 SECURED LIGHT LINE TRASFER WITH U.S.S. NOTABLE. 1516 C/C 083 C/S 10 KNTS. 1518 RESUMED STATION ONE IN FORMATION DELTA.

W. F. Sands
W. F. SANDS, LT(JG), USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND VARIOUS SPEEDS IN ORDER TO CONFORM TO THE MOVEMENTS OF THE GUIDE.

C. D. Henscher,
C. D. HENSCHER, LTJG USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2003 MANEUVERING TO REMAIN ON STATION. WHEN ON STATION GUIDE U.S.S. RIVAL (MSO-468) SHOULD BEAR 263°T AT 1500 YARDS. 2120 EXECUTED FORMATION ONE U.S.S. ABILITY STATION ONE, U.S.S. NOTABLE STATION TWO, U.S.S. SALUTE STATION THREE U.S.S. RIVAL STATION FOUR, U.S.S. CHEWAUGAN STATION FIVE, U.S.S. RECOVERY STATION SIX. FORMATION COURSE 045 SPEED 10 KNOTS. 2127 FORMATION COURSE 178°T. 2130 FORMATION COURSE 258. 2132 EXECUTED FORMATION ECHO U.S.S. ABILITY STATION ONE AS GUIDE, U.S.S. NOTABLE STATION TWO U.S.S. SALUTE STATION THREE, U.S.S. RIVAL STATION FOUR, U.S.S. CHEWAUGAN STATION FIVE, U.S.S. RECOVERY STATION SIX. FORMATION SPEED 10.5 KNOTS.

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USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION H4Q DATE TUESDAY (Day) 30 (Date) JULY (Month) . 19 68

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA TO BERMUDA

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 32° 21.0 N	BY	1
λ 64° 26.5 W	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 32° 30.5 N	BY	1
λ 63° 49.0 W	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 32° 39.9 N	BY	1
λ 61° 56.2 W	BY	1

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø4 STEAMING IN COLUMN OPEN ORDER FORMATION WITH U.S.S. ABILITY (MSO-519) AS GUIDE. U.S.S. NOTABLE (MSO-46Ø) IN STATION TWO, U.S.S. RIVAL (MSO-468) IN STATION THREE, U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-47Ø) IN STATION FOUR, U.S.S. CHEWAUCAN (AO-5Ø) IN STATION FIVE U.S.S. ~~RESERVE~~ RECOVERY (ARS-43) IN STATION SIX ENROUTE FROM CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA TO BERMUDA. FORMATION COURSE 25Ø° SPEED 10.5 KNOTS. SOPA IS COMINEDIV 85 EMBARKED THIS VESSEL. OTC IS COMINEDIV 85. CONDITION OF READINESS FOUR WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. com.

V. H. VAUGHT
V. H. VAUGHT, ENS, USNR

Ø4-Ø8 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Ø614 DETACHED FROM TASK UNIT 27.3.2 IN ORDER TO PROCEED INTO BERMUDA FOR MEDEVAC. Ø627 C/S 14 KTS. Ø721 C/C 261° T. Ø738 C/C 264° T. ØSØØ MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NONE.

C. D. Herscher,
C. D. HERSCHER, LTJG USNR

ØS-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. ØS27 STATIONED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. ØS3Ø CAPTAIN HAS THE CONN. ØS42 MANEUVERING TO RECEIVE A HARBOR CRAFT ALONG THE STARBOARD QUARTER FROM THE NAVAL STATION, BERMUDA. ØS45 HARBOR CRAFT ALONG THE STARBOARD QUARTER. TO EFFECT THE TRANSFER OF OLDROYD W.F. ENL 5999973 U.S.N. TO NAVAL STATION BERMUDA. ØS46 TRANSFER COMPLETED. ØS47 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. Ø919 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT SPEED 14 KNOTS TO ~~R~~ JOIN THE REMAINING SHIPS OF TU 27.3.2 B.R.M.

B.R. Moffett
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1213 GYRO CASUALTY 1220 GYRO REPAIRED 1240 ~~ASSUMED~~ U.S.S. ABILITY (MSO-519) COM ASSUMED GUIDE IN FORM DELTA WITH U.S.S. SALUTE (MSO-470) IN STATION THREE, U.S.S. NOTABLE (MSO-460) IN STATION TWO, U.S.S. RIVAL (MSO-468) IN STATION FOUR, U.S.S. CHEWAUGAN (AO-50) IN STATION FIVE, U.S.S. RECOVERY (ARS-43) IN STATION SIX. 1241 C/C 083° C/S 10 KNTS. 1243 C/C 081°.

V.H. Vands
V.H. VANDS, LTJG, USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1611 C/S 10.5 KTS. 1620 C/S 10 KTS. 1640 SHIFTED THE GUIDE TO USS SALUTE (MSO-470). 1641 USS SALUTE INCURRED STEERING CASUALTY. SHIFT THE GUIDE TO USS ABILITY (MSO-519). C/S 6 KTS. 1649 C/S 8 KTS. 1658 SHIFTS THE GUIDE TO USS NOTABLE (MSO-460). C/S 10 KTS. COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN STATION.

C.D. Herscher
C.D. HERSCHER, LTJG USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1805 MANEUVERING TO REMAIN ON STATION 1000 YARDS AT A BEARING OF 306°T FROM THE GUIDE U.S.S. NOTABLE (MSO-460) 1909 GUIDE OF THE FORMATION SHIFTED TO U.S.S. RIVAL (MSO-468) 1915 MANEUVERING TO REMAIN ON STATION 1500 YARDS AHEAD OF GUIDE WHICH SHOULD BEAR 261°T.

B.R. Moffett
B.R. MOFFETT, LTJG, USN.

BRM. ~~B.R. Moffett~~

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

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USS ABILITY (MSO-519) ZONE DESCRIPTION +3 P DATE WEDNESDAY (Day) 31 (Date) JULY (Month) 19 68

AT/PASSAGE FROM CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA TO ROTA, SPAIN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800 L 32°54.0N	BY	1
λ 60°00.5W	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200 L 33°01.0N	BY	1
λ 59°18.0W	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000 L 33°08.0N	BY	1
λ 57°53.0W	BY	1

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø4 STEAMING IN DIAMOND FORMATION IN COMPANY WITH TASK UNIT 27.3.2 ENROUTE TO ROTA, SPAIN FROM CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA. IN ACCORDANCE WITH CINCLANTFLT QUARTERLY OP SCHEDULE. USS RIVAL (MSO-468) IS THE GUIDE IN STATION # 4 THIS SHIP IS IN STATION # 1. USS NOTABLE (MSO-460) IS IN STATION # 2. USS SALUTE (MSO-470) IS IN STATION # 3. USS RECOVERY (ARS-43) IS IN STATION # 5. USS CHEWAUCAN (AOG-58) IS IN STATION # 6. BASE COURSE IS Ø81° T, BASE SPEED 10 KTS, AND STANDARD DISTANCE IS 5ØØ YDS. WHEN ON STATION THE GUIDE BEARS 261° T AT 15ØØ YDS. OTC IS COMINEDIV 85 EMBARKED THIS VESSEL. SHIP IS IN CONDITION WATCH FOUR WITH MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET. Ø2ØØ SET CLOCKS AHEAD 1 HOUR TO CONFORM WITH +3P ZONE TIME.

C. D. Herscher,
C. D. HERSCHER, LTJG USCG

Ø4-Ø8 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Ø5Ø7 DETACHED FROM FORMATION, STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY ASTERN OF THE FORMATION. Ø517 CAPTAIN HAS THE CONN. Ø659 OOD HAS THE CONN.

B.R. Moffitt
B.R. MOFFITT, LTJG, U.S.N.

Ø8-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE Ø8Ø6 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS FOR STATIONING DRILL Com ~~Ø8~~ Ø956 SECURED STATIONING DRILL 1ØØØ COMMENCED HOLDING LIFE GUARD STATION FOR U.S.S. CHEWAUGAN (AO-50) DURING REFUELING 1137 SECURED FROM LIFE GUARD STATION.

W. F. Reynolds
W. F. REYNOLDS, YNCS, USNR

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REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND VARIOUS ~~SPEEDS VARIOUS~~ TO TAKE STATION ON USS RIVAL (MSO 468), RANGE 1500 YARDS, BEARING 261° T. 1356 C/C 171° T. COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO TAKE STATION 500 YARDS ASTERN OF THE USS NOTABLE (MSO 460). 1534 SOUNDED REPLENISHMENT DETAIL, 1558 REPLENISHMENT TRANSFER COMPLETE. 1559 SECURED FROM REPLENISHMENT DETAIL.

C. D. Hensciter
C. D. HENSCITER, LTJG USN

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

B. R. Moffett
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